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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Sikkim Armed Police Force Act, 1981 (8 of 1981), the State Government hereby makes the following rules to amend the Sikkim Armed Police Force (Organization, Training, Uniform and Miscellaneous Provisions) Rules, 1989, namely:

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| Short title and commencement | 1. (1) These rules may be called the Sikkim Armed Police Force (Organization, Training, Uniform and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Rules, 2024.

(2) They shall come into force at once. |
| Amendment of rule 6 and substitution of certain expression by certain other expression | 2. In the Sikkim Armed Police Force (Organization, Training, Uniform and Miscellaneous Provisions) Rules, 1989 (hereinafter referred to as the "said rules") in rule 6 and throughout the said rules unless otherwise expressly provided, for the words "Assistant Commandant" wherever they occur, the words Deputy Commandant" shall be substituted. |
| Amendment of rule 13 | 3. In the said rules, Rule 13 shall be renumbered as sub-rule (1) of that rule and after sub-rule (1) as so renumbered the following shall be inserted, namely:

"(2) (i) The Company Havildar Major (CHM) reports to the Company Subordinate Officer (CSO) who reports to the Company Reserve Sub-Inspector (CRSI) who reports to the Company Reserve Inspector (CRI) who reports to the Company Commander (Coy Crd)."

"(2) (ii) The Battalion Havildar Major (BHM) reports to Battalion Reserve Sub-Inspector (BRSI) who reports to the Battalion Reserve Inspector (BRI) who reports to the Assistant Adjutant." |

Amendment of rule 28

4. In the said rules, rule 28 shall be renumbered as sub rule (1) of that rule and after sub-rule (1) as so renumbered, the following shall be inserted namely:

“(2) In addition to working dress prescribed under rule 28(1), there shall be a ceremonial dress with accoutrements and decorations of colour and pattern as may be decided by the Director General of Police, which may be worn on special occasions and shall ordinarily consist of the following; namely:-

- (a) Ceremonial felt hat which shall be of Army pattern;
- (b) Neck scarf;
- (c) Cummerbund over which the leather belt shall be worn;
- (d) Anklets covering upper part of boots and reaching to the knees;
- (e) Ceremonial sleeves worn over the shirt sleeves;
- (f) Khaki trousers folded inwards reaching below the knees;
- (g) Angola shirt during winter and polycot khaki shirt in summer with lanyard, unit insignias and rank badges;
- (h) Hand gloves;
- (i) Authorized medals.

(3) In addition to working and ceremonial uniforms prescribed under rule 28 (1) and (2), there shall be a 2 piece tactical dress of appropriate design as may be approved by the Director General of Police. The epaulettes and name strip shall be embroidered in subdued grey colour thread on digicam background; belt shall be of synthetic webbing and black in colour. The combat boots shall be black in colour. Either Hat Field Service (FS) or beret shall be worn with tactical uniform.

(4) A black jacket of a pattern and design as may be approved by the Director General of Police shall be worn over the working or tactical dress prescribed under rule 32 (1) and (2) depending upon the weather. On this jacket, epaulettes and name strip shall be embroidered in white colour thread on black background; a POLICE flap on the back will be similarly embroidered.

Amendment of rule 31

5. In the said rules, for sub-rule (2) of rule 31 the following shall be substituted namely:-

“(2) Metal cloth badges consisting of letters “I.R.Bn. SIKKIM” with the word “SIKKIM” underneath the word “I.R.Bn.” in half inch block letters be worn at the base of shoulder strap”.

Amendment of rule 32

6. (a) In the said rules, in rule 32:-
for existing clause (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) the following shall be substituted, namely:

- (i) Commandant, Sr. Superintendent of Police and Superintendent of Police (SSP/SP) - State emblem and two stars for SSP: State emblem and one star for SP - Silver in colour.

- (ii) Deputy Commandant - State emblem - silver in colour.
- (iii) Company Commander - three stars - silver in colour.
- (iv) Company Second in Command - one star - silver in colour.
- (v) Platoon Commander - two stars with red and blue stripes worn at the base of shoulder straps -silver in colour.
- (b) clause (vi), (vii) and (viii) of rule 32 shall be omitted.
- (c) clause (ix) (x) and (xi) shall be renumbered as clause (vi) (vii) and (viii).

Amendment of rule 33 7. In the said rules, in rule 33, after the word "combat" the words "except for Officers of the rank of Assistant Sub Inspector (ASI) and above, who shall wear brown combat boots or oxford shoes in their working dress but all shall wear black combat boots in tactical uniform" shall be inserted.

Amendment of rule 36 8. In the said rules, in rule 35, in sub rule (4) the words "However, letters I.R.Bn. in bracket will be added after the sign "S.A.P" shall be omitted.

Amendment of rule 35 9. In the said rules, rule 36 shall be omitted.

Substitution of Appendix-I 10. In the said rules, for the existing APPENDIX-I, the following shall be substituted, namely:

APPENDIX-I

Sl. No.	Articles	Scale	Life
1.	Polycot Shirt and Trousers (Khaki)	2 Pairs	2 Years
2.	Digicam (Ripstop) Tatical Dress (Two-Piece)	2 Pairs	2 Years
3.	Woolen Shirt (Angola)	1 Piece	2 Years
4.	Beret (Maroon/Green)	3 Pieces	2 Years
5.	Field Service Hat (Digicam with POLICE embroidered in Grey)	2 Pieces	2 Years
6.	Peak Cap (Khaki)	1 Piece	5 Years
7.	Beret Crest Embroidered	3 Pieces	2 Years
8.	Cap Crest Metal	1 Piece	5 Years
9.	Heckle (Maroon/Yellow)	1 Piece	1 Year
10.	Khaki Epaulette with Band (Maroon/Green with Unit Letters embroidered in White)	2 Pairs	2 Years
11.	Epaulette Unit Letters Metal	2 Pairs	5 Years
12.	Digicam Epaulette with Unit Letters embroidered in Grey	2 Pairs	2 Years
13.	Epaulette Star (Metal Silver)	1 Pair	5 Years
14.	Unit Insignia/Coat of Arms	3 Pieces	2 Years
15.	Lanyard (Maroon/Green)	1 Piece	1 Year
16.	Scarf (Maroon/Green Pattern)	1 Piece	2 Years
17.	Crested Leather Belt (Black/Brown)	1 Piece	5 Years
18.	Cross Belt (Brown)	1 Piece	10 Years
19.	Tactical Synthetic Webbing Belt (Black)	2 Pieces	4 Years
20.	Combat Boot 8" (Black/Brown)	2 Pairs	3 Years
21.	P.T. Shoes (White)	2 Pairs	1 Year
22.	Boot Polish (Black/Brown)	8 Pieces	1 Year
23.	Synthetic Socks (Black/Khaki/White)	2 Pairs	1 Year
24.	T-Shirt White (Blue chest stripe and POLICE printed in Blue on the back)	2 Pieces	1 Year
25.	Digicam Vest	2 Pieces	1 Year

26.	Track Suit (Navy Blue with White Stripes on Pants and Jacket and POLICE printed in White on the back of Jacket)	1 Set	3 Years
27.	Winter Jacket (Black) with Epaulettes and POLICE back flap (White embroidery on Black)	1 Piece	4 Years
28.	Watch Cap (Fleece Black)	1 Piece	1 Year
29.	Thermal Innerwear	2 Sets	2 Years
30.	Rain Coat (Two-Piece)	1 Pair	5 Years
31.	Backpack (Black)	1 Piece	5 Years
32.	Sleeping Bag (Olive Green) With Sleeping Mat (Black)	1 Piece	7 Years
33.	Whistle	1 Piece	5 Years
34.	Mosquito Net	1 Piece	5 Years
35.	Kit Card	1 Piece	-
36.	Ground Sheet	1 Piece	7 Years

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